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Via ECFS Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: In the Matter of Petition of USTelecom for Forbearance Pursuant to 47 U.S.C. Section 160(c); WC Docket No. 18-141; Category 1

Dear FCC,

Having access to the internet and competitive international phone service is critical to my and my wifes work and family. We had throttled internet before from AT&T which was problematic. Now, we have unthrottled internet and phone service for a lower price. If AT&T is allowed to block other providers by changing the bridge to broadband, this will eliminate the competition.

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